

## INTERNAL SITUATION IN GERMANY IS GRAVE

### SUBMARINES TO BE RESTRICTED

Peace Conference May Decide On Scope of Their Use in Future Wars.

### MEETING IN JANUARY

Preliminaries to Peace Negotiations Will Begin Soon After First of Year and Protocol May Be Signed in February.

Paris, Nov. 25.—The preliminaries to the peace negotiations will begin about Jan. 1, the Echo de Paris declares, and the protocol will be signed about the end of February. The paper adds that Premier Clemenceau will go to London Dec. 4.

Marshal Foch's refusal to accede to the protestations of the German delegates, according to the Matin, will apply to all proposals in the future.

Submarines to Be Restricted.

Restriction of submarine operations against merchant ships so as to prevent attacks like that against the Lusitania doubtless will be proposed in the discussion by the peace congress of the "freedom of the seas" question. It is the view of leading naval authorities who have examined this branch of the subject that submarine operations should be limited to attacking warships forming the regular part of the navy. Attacks would be prohibited against merchant ships, either passenger or freight, and whether armed defensively or otherwise. According to this view submarines would continue to be an arm of a naval service, but their use would be confined strictly to naval warfare.

Subjects in Formative State.

This and many other subjects to come before the peace congress are now in a formative state, as it will be some time, perhaps a fortnight, before the regular sittings of the inter-allied conference are resumed to arrange the preliminaries of the congress. In the meantime, none of the British, Italian or other foreign delegates are here except Colonel E. M. House, the American representative to the conference, who is confined to his bed with the gripe. Several members of his staff also are down with the prevailing epidemic.

Questions Are Discussed. But those charged with the preliminaries are going ahead and diplomatic circles are actively discussing various phases of the big questions to come before the congress.

According to information from one quarter, negotiations for the signing of preliminaries of peace cannot commence before early in January. The discussion will take about a month and a half, so that the signing of the protocol would not occur before the end of February. This will necessitate a renewal of the armistice which expires on Dec. 17 unless extended before that time.

Inter-Allied Council to Sit.

Previous to the January sitting of the congress, however, the inter-allied conference will have sessions during December in which President Wilson will take part.

### DEUTSCHLAND AMONG THEM

Twenty-eight German U-Boats Surrender to British.

Harwich, England, Nov. 25.—In the presence of Sir Eric Geddes, first lord of the admiralty, 28 more German U-boats surrendered. This was the most imposing flotilla to haul down the German flag thus far. It included several very large submarines and four of the cruiser type, one being nearly 350 feet in length.

The noted cruiser submarine Deutschland U-153 was among the number. She carried two American officers, who had been rescued from the American cargo ship Ticonderoga, torpedoed on Sept. 30, last. The officers were taken to Kiel by the Deutschland, which was returning from a three months' cruise in American waters, and were landed at Harwich.

### AXEL SAILS FOR ENGLAND

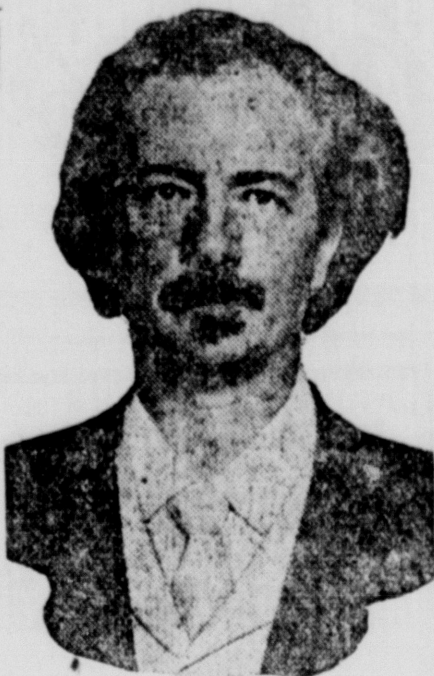
Danish Prince Concludes Six Weeks' Tour of States.

New York, Nov. 25.—Prince Axel of Denmark, who has been in the United States for about six weeks, has sailed for England.

He came to this country from France, where he spent several months as a neutral observer on the battle front. While here he was the guest of the United States.

IGNACE J. PADEREWSKI

Sails for Europe to Represent American Poles.



Possessed of power of attorney to act on behalf of the various Polish committees in the United States, Ignace J. Paderewski has sailed from New York for Europe to further the interests of his compatriots in the pending political developments.

### HAMBURG IS CAPITAL

Districts in Germany on North Sea Form Republic.

Movement to Create Another State and Quit Germany Is Growing in Rhineland.

Copenhagen, Nov. 25.—German newspapers report that the United Workers and Soldiers' councils have proclaimed Oldenburg, Ostfriesland, Bremen, Hamburg and Schleswig-Holstein a republic. The capital will be at Hamburg.

The districts named comprise all the North sea coast of the German empire from Holland to Denmark. Bremen and Hamburg are the two most important German shipping ports and are free cities. The Kiel canal traverses Holstein.

The movement to withdraw from Germany and create a separate republic is gaining ground rapidly in the Rhineland, according to reports from Cologne to the Socialist Vorwaerts. The movement finds strong support on the part of the Clericals as a result of the Prussian government's announcement of its intention to disestablish the church.

Recent events in Berlin have also apparently increased the fears of the Rhinelanders regarding Bolshevism, as the correspondent declares.

"We shall have to reckon with cessation as almost unavoidable unless an immediate consolidation is reached in Berlin and the date of elections to the constituent assembly set with the greatest speed."

### GENERAL CROZIER RESIGNS

Will Rest After Forty-two Years' Army Service.

Boston, Nov. 25.—Major General William Crozier, commander of the Department of the Northeast and former chief of ordnance, announced that he had resigned from the army and that the resignation had been accepted, effective Jan. 1. After 42 years of hard work in the army, General Crozier said he felt he was entitled to a rest and he did not contemplate going into business.

General Crozier was born in Carrollton, Ohio, in 1855 and was graduated from West Point Military academy in 1876.

General Crozier served in various Indian campaigns and in the Philippines and was chief ordnance officer of the Peking relief expedition.

### WANTS RUSSIA RECOGNIZED

Former Premier Says Allies Must Destroy Bolshevism.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Recognition of Russia at the world peace conference in Versailles was urged by Prince George Lvoff, first prime minister of Russia after the overthrow of the czar, in a statement to the American people.

Prince Lvoff expressed his conviction that a program of reconstruction which does not provide for the complete destruction of Bolshevism in Russia will leave in the world the germ of another great war.

Daily Thought. There is always safety in valor.—Emerson.

## GERMANY IS FATTENING AMERICAN PRISONERS BEFORE THEIR RELEASE

### Their Treatment in the Mines Was Atrocious, Says Report

#### Daily Discharge of Soldiers 30,000

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 25.—The discharge of soldiers on this side is expected to reach the daily rate of thirty thousand men by the end of this week or early next week. The machinery for demobilizing them is being speeded up.

#### German Soldiers Council Claims Control Country

Copenhagen, Nov. 25.—The Berlin Workers' and Soldiers' Council has issued a proclamation claiming provisional control of the entire country for the purpose of suppressing attempts at counter revolution, say Berlin dispatches. Other dispatches report Oldenburg, Bremen, Hamburg, Eastarlesland and Schleswig-Holstein have formed an independent republic with Hamburg as the capital. Chancellor Ebert declared in an interview "Only a handful of idiots want to continue the war."

#### Peace Conference Must Be Unanimous

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 25.—The decisions of the forthcoming peace conference must be unanimous. There will be no majority rule. As a result a preliminary peace conference of the United States, England, France and Italy will be held at which a slate will be written and agreed on. Then when the full peace table assembles the ticket will be adopted with perhaps some minor alterations. The preliminaries will get under way late next month or early in January. In questions affecting the smaller nations their wishes as to their future will be considered.

While President Wilson is still pondering the makeup of his peace delegation, it develops that the republicans are preparing to send a republican observer to the peace conference to report what goes on.

#### Internal Situation in Germany is Critical

(By United Press)

London, Nov. 25.—The latest reports from Germany indicate the internal situation there has reached the critical stage. The whole of the country is now in the hands of Berlin Workers' and Soldiers' Council and a proclamation to that effect has been issued.

#### Exposures Being Made Showing Germany Guilty

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 25.—Official exposures showing Germany's guilt in conniving with Austria to start the world war are being made by Bavarian officials diplomatic advisers reveal. Germany approved the ultimatum of Austria before it was sent to Serbia in 1914 it is stated.

#### Alsace and Lorraine are Again French

BY FRANK J. TAYLOR

Strasbourg, Nov. 25.—The lost provinces of Alsace and Lorraine are again wholly French through the formal occupation of their capital today by the French troops. The population received the Poliss with great enthusiasm. The evidence was obtained today that the Germans are taking American prisoners to the rear to fatten them up before turning them loose. According to officers who escaped, and treatment of these men in the mines was atrocious.

#### Italian Troops occupy Austrian Towns

(By United Press)

Rome, Nov. 25.—Italian troops have occupied Innsbruck and Landeck.

#### French Hold Rhine for 100 Miles

(By United Press)

London, Nov. 25.—The French now hold the line of the Rhine from Seiz southward to the Swiss border a distance of nearly a hundred miles. This is a little more than a quarter of the line to be occupied. The greatest distance yet to be traveled is about seventy-five miles from the French lines in Rhenish Prussia to Mainz.

#### Wireless Government Control Proposed

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 25.—Permanent government control of commercial radio stations is proposed in a bill upon which congressional hearings will start December 12th. The movement is to put the wireless under permanent government ownership.

#### French General Enters Constantinople

(By United Press)

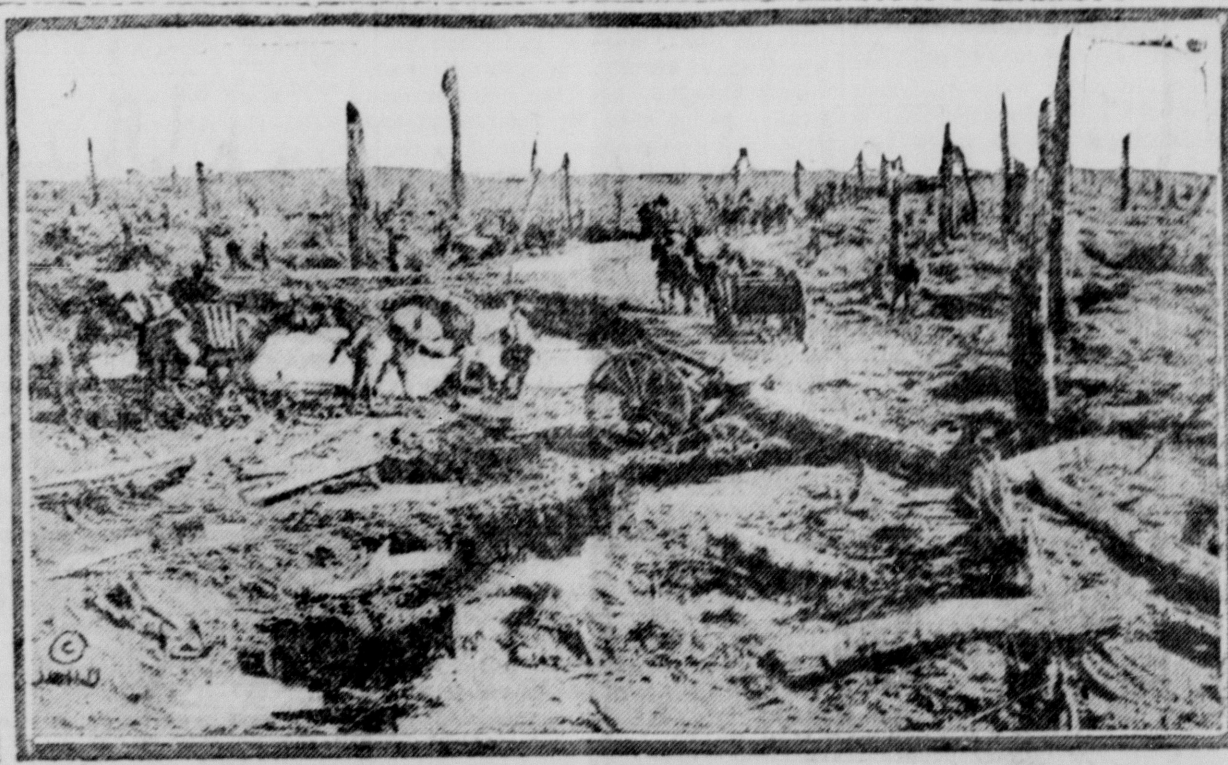
Paris, Nov. 25.—General Desperrey entered Constantinople Sunday on the battleship Patrie it is officially announced.

#### Legislation Advocated to Safe Guard Working Girls

(By United Press)

New York, Nov. 25.—Legislation or military regulations to safeguard the interest of girls and women who have been engaged in war work and who shall be relieved of duties or supported by returning soldiers, was advocated today by Rosalie Lowe Whitney, a leading attorney.

### Scene of Devastation in Section of France, Retaken Just Before Fighting Stopped, Showing How Vast Reconstruction Task Will Be



Large sections of France have been literally blasted away by heavy gun fire—first by the Germans and then by the allies when they were driving the Hun back across the Rhine. In this photograph British troops are seen advancing over ground captured only a short time before the armistice was signed. This scene is typical of hundreds of square miles of territory and gives an idea of the immensity of the task of reconstruction in France and Belgium.

DR. CHARLES W. ELIOT

Says 8 Per Cent of Soldiers Are Illiterate.



With almost 8 per cent of the men called to the colors found unable to read or write, the war has revealed to the public the wide extent of illiteracy in the country. Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university, told the league for political education at New York.

### CROSS GERMAN BORDER

American Patrols Make Short Trips Into Rhenish Prussia.

Every Consideration is Reported to Have Been Shown Yankees by Inhabitants.

American Army of Occupation, Nov. 25.—The German frontier was crossed at several places by American signal corps units and ambulance workers. Short trips were made into Rhenish Prussia, where the inhabitants are reported to have shown the Americans every consideration.

The front lines of the American army of occupation tonight rested along the Luxembourg-German border on the Sauer river and thence along the Moselle river to the region east of Remich. The American army will mark time until further orders. At least three or four days are expected to pass before the next move is made toward the German border.

The Germans apparently are withdrawing according to schedule. Reports reaching the Third army today were that the Germans everywhere were whistling and singing as they marched. The general line of the German withdrawal is along the Perl-Saarburg road. The southern limit of the Fifth German army is reported to be the line Sereck-Thionville.

### OIL HEADS HELD FOR FRAUD

Charged With Using Mails to Swindle Investors.

New York, Nov. 25.—A conspiracy to use the mails to defraud investors of millions of dollars through the sale of stock of the Tuxpam Star Oil corporation, is alleged by the government in a complaint on which Louis Roumagnac, head of the company; John J. Bryant, a director, and Henry Kalb, a broker, were arraigned before a United States commissioner after their arrest here.

### STATION AGENTS ARE RAISED

To Get 25 Per Cent Increase With \$95 Minimum Per Month.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Railroad station agents have been granted by Director General McAdoo a general wage increase of 25 per cent above the rate prevailing last Jan. 1 with a minimum of \$95 per month.

Eight hours is to be considered a day's work, with pro-rata pay for two hours' overtime and time and a half for service above ten hours.

### COAST RAIDER SURRENDERS

U-Boat Sank 120,000 Tons of U. S. Shipping, Officer Says.

London, Nov. 25.—Among the German submarines surrendered at Harwich was one that had operated off the American coast.

According to the statement of the sublieutenant in command, this submarine sank 120,000 tons of American shipping. She is a big, powerful boat and carried forty-two mines and twenty-one torpedoes.

Optimistic Thought. True bravery is inseparable from the humane general principles of the soul.

### CONTROL THREE MAIN HIGHWAYS

American, French and British Armies Constitute Direct Threat to Germany.

### MEN FULLY EQUIPPED

Occupation of Cologne, Coblenz and Mainz by Allied Forces Will Render Any Possible Resistance by Foe Futile.

Washington, Nov. 25.—General March, in fixing Coblenz as the objective of the American advance, furnished a clue to the military situation that will exist while the peace conference is in session.

On the left the British army of occupation will stand along the Rhine with a spearhead thrown across the river at Cologne and spreading like a fan on a 30-kilometer circle. At Coblenz the Americans will occupy a similar position and at Mainz, still further up the river, the French will hold the third great highway into the heart of Germany.

Thus three main roads to Berlin itself, each held by a strong, fully equipped army ready to sweep forward at a moment's notice will be held open and constitute a threat against which there can be no organized resistance. All of Germany will stand at the mercy of the occupying forces.

French Reach the Rhine.

French forces reached the Rhine near the Swiss border some days ago. It may be that patrol detachments of this army already have penetrated through the 40-kilometer zone which will be held as neutral ground until the peace treaties fix new boundaries, but it is regarded as probable that the American Third army will lead the real advance into Germany.

Coblenz Important City.

Coblenz, the bridgehead on the Rhine which the American army will occupy, is at the confluence of the Moselle and Rhine rivers and dates back to the Third century. Formerly it was a fortress of the first class, but since the Franco-Prussian war it has occupied a secondary place as compared to Cologne, Mainz, Strassburg, and Metz.

Coblenz has a large wine trade, because of its situation with respect to the wine-growing countries in the valleys of the Moselle and the Rhine.

On the east bank of the Rhine opposite Coblenz is the famous fortress of Ehrenbreitstein. The new fortress was built early in the Nineteenth century. The old one played an important part in German wars and was captured by storm by the French in 1799.

### GRAIN EMBARGO IS LIFTED

Heavy Movement From the Northwest Is Predicted.

Minneapolis, Nov. 25.—A heavy movement of grain from the producing areas of the Northwest was forecast by federal railroad officials here when orders were received from Washington to lift the individual permit embargo and issue blanket permits to the railroads.

A. W. Trenholm, director of the Twin City terminals, and the Food administration issued specific orders designating the number of cars each railroad may handle daily. The total daily receipts of grain in the Twin Cities will approximate 1,000 cars, 600 of them for wheat.

### REPORT URGES INCOME TAX

Minnesota Commission Recommends Many Reforms.

St. Paul, Nov. 25.—A state income tax, a constitutional amendment to exempt household goods, tools, implements and agricultural products from taxation, increased telephone taxes, wiping out distinction between platted and unplatted real estate, reduction of the rate of taxation on dwelling houses, adoption of a gross earnings tax for all public service corporations, substitution of county assessors in place of town assessors—these are the main reforms recommended by the state tax commission in its annual report.

### FRENCH REFUGEES RETURN

Civilians Deported to Belgium Freed by Evacuation.

Paris, Nov. 25.—French Nationals, who had been carried off by the Germans from French occupied territory into Belgium, are continuing to return in large numbers as additional Belgian territory is liberated.



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## THE WEATHER

## Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:

Weekly forecast, mild. For Thanksgiving, light snow, flurries. Good automobiling all week.  
Daily forecast—Mild.  
Cooperative observer's record, at 7 p. m.:  
Nov. 23—Maximum 26, minimum 12. Reading in evening, 25. Clear Southwest wind.  
Nov. 24—Maximum 30, minimum 18. Reading in evening, 29. Clear Southwest wind.  
Nov. 25—Minimum for the night, 28.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visiting Soldiers, Other Visitors, Weddings, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Telephone Northwest 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. Miss Irie Kelly is sick at her home. Miss Dolores Hall has been sick at her home.

Butler is reported to be on the upward trend again. Miss Elsie Foster went to Little Falls this afternoon.

James M. Quinn came from Clark Lake, Minn. this morning. The Hall Music House takes Liberty Bonds at par value. 14467

Miss Margaret Spillman is recovering from a stage of sickness. R. M. Sheets has returned from a hunting trip north of Outing.

Edward Crowley has returned from White Fish and Livingston, Mont.

Carl Anderson, of the Rogers, Brown Ore Co. was in the city today.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

William Beavers, son-in-law of the Miller, was in the city from Velva, Nech.

Frank Hill, Pine River banker, was in the city on business matters today.

Walter Cleary, student at the University of Minnesota, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Myhra of Duluth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rifenrath.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith-Sleeper Block. 22614

Rev. George Herbold returned this morning from Pernot where he held services on Sunday.

Miss M. Christine Berggreen has gone to Deerwood where she will be employed in the sanatorium.

Miss Mabel Bentley is recovering from pneumonia which attacked her after being sick with influenza.

Your photo will make a pleasing Christmas Gift. Anderson's Studio. 14415

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crowley have returned from White Fish, Mont., where the former was very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. P. Samuels of Backus is visiting in the city, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Kunitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Dahlgren of White Bear, guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Peterson, returned home this afternoon.

Stanley Canfield died at Faribault at a state institution, being 20 years of age. The remains will be brought to Brainerd for burial.

Special Clearance Sale of all trimmed hats for ladies, misses and children. See the big values this week at \$1.52 and \$3. B. Kaatz & Son. 1

Miss Minnie Stein has recovered from a near attack of pneumonia. What was of great avail to her was a remedy given her by a nurse from Iowa.

Elmer Dahl, meter reader of the water and light department, who has been sick with influenza at the emergency hospital in Gardner Hall, will soon be returned to his home to further recuperate.

No Dispatch will be printed on Thursday, being Thanksgiving Day, a legal holiday. Copy for Dispatch ads should come in early. The weekly will be printed on Wednesday and is put in the mails Friday.

Turkey Thanksgiving Dinner at the Ideal Nov. 28, 12 to 2, 6 to 8:30 P. M., 50 cents. Make your reservations early. 14913

D. D. Schrader returned this morning from a week-end visit at his farm near Merrifield. Crops have been good there. And as to hogs, Mr. Schrader has some of the finest porkers that ever gladdened the sight of a farmer and equal to anything produced in Iowa.

Money to loan on city real estate. J. H. Kregelberg. 7414

A large party of Minneapolis hunters returning home with ducks, could not wait for the Mill City to enjoy their game, but had part of them cooked by W. T. Larrabee at the Ideal and from the expressions of delight and gratification heard the ducks were cooked and served to a turn.

Large stock of flashlight batteries just received. Brainerd Electric Co., 718 Laurel St. 14416

A joint meeting of the city council water and light board and a representative of the General Inspection Bureau of Insurance. Underwriters will be held this evening at the city hall to discuss improving city fire protection and by prompt action to avert a threatened raise in insurance rates.

Christmas shopping will soon be under way, following closely the lifting of the influenza ban December 2. Advertising should reflect the holiday season soon here. There are loved ones soon to be home from camp and field. Family reunions will be numerous. Now is the time to use the advertising pages in the Dispatch.

If you want a bargain in an automobile call on S. F. Alderman, First National bank building, a five-passenger Hudson in good condition for sale cheap for cash. 14913

At the home of Alderman Frank G. Hall, 209 North Fourth street, fire on Sunday burned a hole in the roof and water damaged some of the upper floor rooms and furniture. Mr. Hall had cleaned out a chimney by taking out soot and sparks later from the chimney set fire to some of the soot that had lodged in the valleys. Insurance was carried in one of G. W. Chadbourne's agencies.

Nice home dressed turkeys. Put your order in early as turkeys are scarce this year. Kaupp's Meat Market. 14912

Ole Hanson, of Gull River, born in 1836, died of the infirmities of old age. He was a widower and leaves a daughter, Mrs. John Anderson, formerly of Brainerd and now living at Gull River. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon with B. C. McNamara in charge.

Mrs. J. Peterson of St. Paul is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Gust Swanson, 307 South Sixth street.

Don't wait until too late to put that Anti-Freeze in your radiator. One mixture of Johnson's Freeze-Proof is sufficient for the entire winter, and is guaranteed to give satisfactory results in every way. Woodhead Motor Co. 14913

Mrs. Edward Nolan of Little Rock, age 50, died of pneumonia following the influenza. She leaves a husband and several children. The family formerly lived in Brainerd fifteen years, leaving the city a year ago to reside in Little Rock. She was a cousin of Mrs. James Nolan. The funeral will be held from the B. C. McNamara chapel on Tuesday morning with interment in Brainerd.

John E. Woodhead, Wm. Taylor and D. A. Peterson, has returned from a deer hunting trip with Ed Rogers of Walker as their guide. Ed did his level best to lead the party to a deer. The woods were thick with hunters and one man got a bullet through his hat by getting in line of the fire of a party near by where nine shot at a deer and five claimed it. D. A. Peterson while warning his hands at the fire heard a noise and fired five shots at a deer which turned out to

## Thanksgiving Linen Spread

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be a wolf. The wolf jumped over a log and back to the swamp.

With the early lifting of the flu ban, business conditions in Brainerd will soon be normal again. One of the heaviest losses has been F. S. Workman of the Best theatre and Brainerd opera house. Both houses have been dark since October 12th. "Heart of the World" had been booked for the opera house, three matinees and three evening performances and had to be canceled for the time being. Many attractions for the Best had to be omitted. The city missed the movies and everyone hopes business will be resumed December 2.

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Full of Cold, Had the Grip

Many will be pleased to read how Lewis Newman, 506 Northrand St., Charleston, W. Va., was restored to health. He writes: "I was down sick and nothing would do me any good. I was full of cold. Had the grip until I got two 50c bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar. It is the best remedy for grip and colds I ever used." H. R. Dunn, druggist.

GUM TAKES PLACE OF WATER

Assages Thirst of Soldiers Fighting in Country Where Liquid Was Practically Unobtainable.

Of all the varied means of mastatory stimulation which have been resorted to by men in all climes and ages the great American gum seems least harmful and most helpful. That there is a physiological demand for some masticatory stimulant, says the New York Medical Journal, is shown by the universality of the practice of chewing. Whether it be the tobacco of the American Indian, the betel nut of the East, the slippery elm bark, the tamarack and the spruce gum of the down-east Yankee, the sweet gum of the Gulf states, the chicla of the Mexicans, which, in its American adaptation, becomes the great American chewing gum, man has always felt the necessity of chewing something more than his meals. That there is a practically useful side for this habit is evidenced by the orders placed by the quartermaster of the United States army for 2,300,000 packages of this standard American dainty. We learn from the war department that the commanding officer of a field artillery regiment, about to embark, stated that 250 pounds of chewing gum would take the place of hundreds of gallons of drinking water when water was most needed and least readily obtainable. The American Red Cross recently cabled an order for chewing gum for use in the reconquered territory where the wells had been poisoned by the retreating Germans.

Defies Rail Controller.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 25.—The Kansas Public Utilities commission has notified D. R. Lincoln, chairman of the Kansas City Freight commission, of that it intends to resume control of intra-state freight railway business on a pre-war basis regardless of the fact the Federal administration has assumed such control. The Kansas commission holds a wartime emergency no longer exists and no valid reason why the state should not resume legal control of intra-state utilities.

WOULD MAKE ENGLAND FIT

British Premier Desires Proper Welcome for Soldiers.

Wolverhampton, England, Nov. 25.—The coalition government plans to make England a fit country to live in for the men who have made a new world, declared Premier Lloyd George in opening the provincial political campaign here.

The program includes schemes to increase the production from land and other industries, reforestation, better transport, including the extension of the canal system and small holdings for soldiers and sailors with assistance in the form of homes built by the government.

New Head of Mormon Church.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 25.—Heber J. Grant was unanimously sustained as president of the Mormon church to succeed the late Joseph F. Smith, at a meeting of the council of the 12 apostles. President Grant immediately announced the appointment of Anthony H. Lund and Charles W. Penrose as first and second counselors, respectively. These two, with President Grant, will constitute the first presidency of the church. President Lund was sustained as president of the council of Twelve.

Bilbao Offers Opportunities.

Bilbao is said to be the wealthiest city in Spain, the wealthiest of its size in Europe. This is due to its large deposits of iron ore and their close proximity to tide-water. The province in which it is situated has proven ore fields of more than 2,000 acres and more than 13,000 acres are not yet developed. The ore is rich in iron, practically free from phosphorus and is easily worked—what is known in this country as a scraper proposition. The great war has vastly increased the capitalization of the concerns operating there and the banks of Bilbao have deposits of \$54,788,170, apart from the resources of the Bank of Spain and branches of other powerful banks. The field for development is great, the capitalists are progressive, labor is cheap. Spain has remained neutral in the war, though no friend of Germany, and it is thought the Bilbao iron fields will offer an attractive sphere for American engineering talent and American capital after the war.

Former Judge Denies "Frameup."

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Frederick W. Henshaw, former justice of the California supreme court, issued a signed statement denying charges that he received a bribe of \$410,000 in the famous will case of the James G. Fair estate, and denying any connection with an alleged "frameup" in the San Francisco Preparedness day Mooney bomb cases, as set forth in a report to William B. Wilson, secretary of labor, published here over the signature of John R. Densmore, director general of employment of Labor Dept.

Metz Presents Problem.

With the American Army at Metz, Nov. 25.—It is going to take some time for "The Territory of Metz" to accustom itself to the changes which are being made in its administration in the opinion of old inhabitants of this region. By this name this part of reconquered Lorraine will be known until it has been fully and fully reinstated in the French republic. The greater problem will be Metz itself the smaller towns and rural districts excepting the mining districts, being as thoroughly French as ever.

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# WOMAN'S REALM

## PATRIOTISM AND PATRONIONISM

Last summer we were urged to remember "patritriots" and today our wide awake food administrators call our attention to the large supply of onions, "patronions." Minnesota has on hand. To eat plenty of onions now will substitute for the foodstuffs which must still be shipped across to the soldiers and allies and will save needless waste from this unusually large crop which cannot be readily stored or shipped. Remember that food conservation is not at an end!

The food value of onions is especially important now. Although these bulbs contain a large percentage of cellulose and water than the more concentrated cereals, fats and meats, they are rich in essential and volatile oils and mineral salts. The oils aid digestion through their stimulation of digestive juices, and the minerals are absolutely essential to the proper carrying out of physiological functions, and for the building and repairing of tissue and bone.

The cellulose or bulk which constitutes a high percentage of the weight of the onion is one of the chief factors which establishes its reputation as a health promoter. Roughage is necessary for the smooth running of the digestive and eliminative organs; it acts as a sort of lubricant and is just as essential in the diet as are the more concentrated fats and starches.

The full value of two medium sized onions, each weighing four ounces, is equal to that of one egg, two tablespoons of sugar, two slices of bread, three-fourths of a cup of milk, or a pound and a half of lettuce. Of course the amount of protein, mineral salts, etc., differs in each food and although the two onions equal one egg in total energy value, the amount of protein in the former is only one third as much as in the latter.

"Patronions" are said to be doing their part in driving away influenza. Do your share by preparing onions in various forms in your daily diet. True patriotism means adjustment to the necessary demands of our far-sighted leaders, today it is "patronionism."

### Onion Souffle

One tablespoon butter, one tablespoon flour, one-fourth teaspoon of salt, paprika, one cup milk, one-half cup of stale bread crumbs, one teaspoon parsley, one cup of cold, boiled onions chopped fine, one beaten egg yolk. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Bake fifteen minutes. Serve with or without a cream sauce.

### Onion Purée

Remove the skins of six white onions, put onions in cold water while removing the skins in order to prevent irritation to the eyes. Cut

into slices and cover with cold water and boil until soft. If the onions are too strong, the water may be changed two or three times, replenishing each time with cold water and draining when the boiling point is reached. Pass the onions through a strainer and add to a white sauce made with two tablespoons of butter and two of flour, one-fourth cup of thick cream, salt and pepper. This is similar to a cream soup except that there is a smaller quantity of cream or milk added. This is used as a sauce for meat or fish dishes.

Vegetables which are to be made into soups or purees are started in cold water in order to extract the mineral matter and to facilitate straining. But when the shape of the vegetable is to be maintained they are started in boiling water. This water also contains some mineral matter and should be used in soups and gravies.

Woman's Council of Defense,  
Assisted by Miss Carol Bird.

## PLATTE LAKE AUXILIARY

Officers Elected—Yerda Magnuson,  
Aged 6, Engaged in Knitting  
Socks

Platte Lake Red Cross Auxiliary held their annual meeting October 30 at Mrs. John Milner's home. New officers were elected as follows:

Chairman—Mrs. Geo. M. Stanley.  
Vice chairman—Mrs. Julia Nav-  
vesson.

Secretary—Miss Marie Milner.

Treasurer—Mrs. Lee Fairbanks.

The Auxiliary meets once a month, at the members' homes. There are twenty-six members. A busy worker, who is only six years old, is Miss Yerda Magnuson. She is now completing her second pair of socks, which is a No. 1 work.

## THANKSGIVING DAY GREATEST IN HISTORY

(By U. S. Food Administration)

Thanksgiving Day, 1918, will be the greatest in all history. This year the month of November, set aside as of old for rejoicing and thanksgiving, is memorable for events of Victory and Peace. Its celebration should be made appropriate by patriotic menus indicative of thrift and Americanism. A conservation program waits on the American Thanksgiving dinner. Let no one think that the end of the war will free us from the need of conservation. The call of more hungry persons than ever comes from overseas.

We can do a large service in the month of November if we will urge our housewives to prepare a simple but substantial home grown Thanksgiving meal. The family will be thankful for simple fare using local

products for which our transportation facilities have not been taxed.

Turkey? Yes, and chickens, too, instead of beef and pork needed for export; plenty of gravy to save butter for shipment; oysters in their native states; wild rabbit for those who are fortunate enough to have them; pies with one crust and filled deep with fruit and vegetables; cranberries sweetened with honey or sirup; turnips, squash or onions in place of vegetables out of season; sugarless confections, native nuts for dessert.

In short, use local perishable products to save transportation.

The following menu in which much may be prepared the day before the dinner is for a family desiring simplicity. Sirups may be used for sweetening the pudding. The salad course may be omitted if desired, a gain in labor and in fat. Use the celery leaves for the platter garnish. The last course may be the center-piece.

Choice of Roast turkey, chicken, game or rabbit  
Rice and celery dressing. Gravy  
Potatoes (roasted with meat)  
Choice of creamed onions, squash baked in the shell, scalloped tomatoes, scalloped corn.  
Lettuce with French dressing (may be omitted)  
Steamed pudding  
Popcorn confection Local nuts  
Red Apples

## YANKS DO THE "IMPOSSIBLE"

For First Time in History Stone Houses Have Been Successfully Moved in France.

Declaring that it is the first time that a stone house has been moved in France, Sergeants Abe Griesner and Mike Murphy of Company C have recently finished a job of moving a 350-ton structure and have set it down on its new site.

The French said it could not be done and declared that the only way the road could be cleared for the new line of railway track would be to tear the house down. But the sergeants with their detail of fifteen men started to work with jacks and rollers and soon had the house moving across the fields. News of the feat spread and the authorities sent a photographer from the French Academy of Sciences to record officially the stages of the work.

The house was placed upon its new site without a crack. It is believed that this demonstration of American ingenuity will save many stations along the lines where the Yankee engineers are building additional tracks and switching yards.—From the Spiker, France.

## New Surgical Battle Formation.

The French Aid Society for Wounded Soldiers (Societe Francaise de Secours aux Blesses Militaires) has devised a new type of surgical ambulance which meets the needs arising during active military operations. This ambulance can be advanced and moved back quickly, being essentially different from those in use for some months. Furthermore, it enables the surgeons to render speedy, immediate and complete service to patients with extensive wounds of the thorax, abdomen or head. It consists of a number of large tents, one serving as a salle de triage, a second for local administration, another for preparing the wounded for operation, a fourth for radiography; an operating tent, connected with the sterilizer camion, which contains two autoclaves, and, finally, the hospitalization or ward tents. For transport, the whole outfit is carried in two camions or trucks and two trailers.

## Long Record of Work.

Miss Jessie E. Cone of Granville, Mass., has worked for more than 32 years tacking hoops on drums in the Granville drum shops, averaging 2,000 hoops a day. She has used the same hammer all the time and has worn out three handles in the work. After working from 6 a. m. until 5:30 or 6 in the evening, she goes home and helps her sister on the farm, where besides milking the cow and doing other work, she has raised 25 bushels of potatoes and has dried beans and canned more than 70 jars of vegetables the last year.

## British Air Uniform.

British air ministry announces in London that a light blue uniform has been approved for officers, and airmen of the royal air force. Some months must elapse before the new uniform can be generally provided, but khaki uniform will shortly be available, and will gradually be replaced by blue uniform.

## When Meat Was Cheap.

The proprietor of "Sweets," an old New York Riverside restaurant that has gone into bankruptcy, says: "When I came here, after the Civil war, to help out my father, we used to cook and serve the finest steaks in the world for 6 cents—and make money on them, too."

## Gas Masks for Horses.

The war department recently announced that more than 5,000 gas masks for horses were being turned out daily by the gas defense service and that they are being shipped at once to France for the use of the animals employed by the American expeditionary forces.

## RULER GRANTS MANY REFORMS

King Albert of Belgium Makes Important Address in Parliament.

## CHAMBER WELL FILLED

Near the Throne Stood General Pershing, Representing the American Army, and General Plumer of the British Forces.

Brussels, Nov. 25.—King Albert, received enthusiastically by the inhabitants of his redeemed capital, made an important speech from the throne in parliament—his first utterance in the capital since almost the beginning of the war.

Near the throne stood General Pershing, representing the American army, General Plumer, of the British army, and other generals.

The chamber was filled with members and in the galleries was the diplomatic corps, including Brand Whitlock, the American minister, who returned Thursday to his post in Brussels.

## Equal Suffrage for All.

One of the most vital points in the king's address dealt with the question of suffrage for Belgium and in this connection he said:

"The government proposes to the chambers to lower, by patriotic agreement, the ancient barriers and to make the consultation of the nation a reality on the basis of equal suffrage for all men of the mature age required for the exercise of civil rights."

## Equality of Language Given.

This statement aroused a storm of applause from all of the members. Referring to the Flemish question, King Albert said:

"The necessity of a fruitful union demands the sincere collaboration of all citizens of the same country without distinction of origin or language. Flemings and Walloons to Agree."

"A reciprocal respect for the interests of the Flemings and the Walloons ought to be an integral principle of the administration and should give to each the certainty of being understood when he speaks his own language and assure him his full intellectual development, especially higher education."

In regard to the future status of Belgium, he declared:

"Belgium, re-established in all its rights, will rule its destinies according to its aspirations and in full sovereignty."

In speaking of the manner in which the war had been brought to a successful conclusion, King Albert referred with gratitude to the great efforts of all the Allied countries and of the United States. "A new and stalwart ally which added the weight of her effort, so great and enthusiastic, to that of the other nations and caused our formidable adversary to totter."

## STRASSBURG ENTRY DEC. 8

French Occupation Will Complete Liberation of Alsace.

Paris, Nov. 25.—The entry of French troops into Strassburg will complete the liberation of Alsace.

The military occupation of the city, at which King Albert of Belgium will be present with Marshal Foch, says the Petit Journal, will be followed by another ceremony.

At a conference of President Poincare, Premier Clemenceau and Marshal Foch at the Elysee palace, it was decided that the entry of the civil authorities would take place Dec. 8.

## FOREIGN TRADE SHOWS DROP

Imports and Exports for October Fall Below Previous Month.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Both imports and exports decreased in October as compared with preceding months of this year.

Figures made public by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce show October imports valued at \$247,000,000 against \$262,000,000 in September and \$221,000,000 in October, 1917. Exports aggregated \$503,000,000 compared with \$550,000,000 in September of this year and \$542,000,000 in October, 1917.

## ORE SHIPPING SEASON ENDS

Minnesota Ranges Produced Nearly 70,000,000 Tons of Iron.

Duluth, Nov. 25.—Shipment of iron ore from Northern Minnesota mines, which was being maintained at the highest rate on record when the Kaiser fled Germany, has ended at the head of the lakes.

Production of ore on Mesaba, Vermillion and Cuyuna ranges has been nearly 70,000,000 tons, and vessel shipments have passed 62,000,000 tons for the season.

## Revenue Bill Reduced.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The war revenue bill by further reduction was revised downward by the Senate finance committee almost to the \$6,000,000,000 estimate proposed for 1919. Reduction of the special taxes was virtually completed and next week the committee will consider reducing the war excess profits schedule and probably decide on incorporating tax rates for 1920. Such rapid progress is being made that Chairman Simmons is hopeful of completing the bill late next week.

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NOVEMBER 11th-18th

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and a choice assortment of records. The old song and the new war-time songs will rejoice his heart when he does come back.

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I WANT TO SEE THE LADY COME OUT!

Lille Hugs and Kisses First Poilu to Enter City After Germans Are Forced to Retreat

Lille went wild with joy when French troops entered that city after the Germans had been forced to evacuate it in the face of the British drive. This photograph shows part of a crowd of several thousands which surrounded the first poilu to reach the heart of the city. He was the most kissed soldier in Lille that day.



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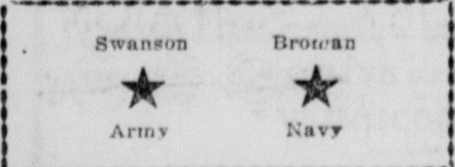
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## OVERLOADED WITH WORK

Various reasons have been advanced as to the cause of Secretary McAdoo's resignation. Some say it was to retrieve his fortunes. No one seems to have advanced the reason that he was over-worked in his present capacity.

Here is enumerated the list of offices he held, a big load for war-time:

Secretary of the treasury.  
 Director general of railroads.  
 Chairman of federal reserve board.  
 Chairman ex-officio federal farm loan bureau.  
 Director general of express companies.  
 In charge of administration of war risk insurance law.  
 United States secretary international high commission.  
 Head of Liberty Loan organization.  
 Member of Smithsonian Institution.  
 Chairman of capital issues committee.  
 Superintends collection of revenue.  
 Controls maintenance and construction of public buildings.  
 Controls coinage and printing of money.  
 Controls administration of public health branches.  
 Controls administration of coast guard.  
 Charged with management of national finances.  
 Has direction over comptroller of currency.

## CIVIC PRIDE

Have we the right kind of civic pride. Shall we allow OUR CITY which is OUR HOME to go backward? Such must be the case unless we awake to the situation and fully realize the seriousness of the financial condition of the city which confronts us today. Let us arouse ourselves and unitedly take advantage of the opportunity of saving ourselves and placing our city upon a solvent basis, by overwhelmingly carrying the Charter Amendments that are now being offered and will be voted on December 3rd.

There seems to be no other way of permanently improving our streets, neither does there seem to be any other way of paying actual cost of electric current for our street lights or for water for fire purposes.

Why, then, should we hesitate in doing our utmost to carry the amendments through successfully? Do we want to have our streets become even worse than they are now? Do we want to return to lightless nights? Do we want to have our insurance rates raised on account of poor fire protection? Consider these matters carefully and ask yourself this question: "Will my property increase in value under such conditions?" You know it will not, and if you are to protect your own interests you must place your city upon a solvent financial basis.

The issue is plain and the responsibility is ours. Will we meet it? Yes!

## Your boy comes stumbling out of the battle-line—

He wants a place to rest, a place to get warm, a place to smoke and get a hot drink and hear somebody talk United States.

He sees a light ahead. It's a hut!

Do you think he cares whether that hut is run by the Knights of Columbus or the Y. M. C. A., Jewish Welfare Board or the Salvation Army? Not much! He knows what he wants and he knows that he'll get it—whatever uniform the folks inside happen to be wearing.

Your boy knows what real democracy means.

He's fighting to make it something bigger and better and finer than it ever was before. He's the world's greatest authority on democracy today. Take his word for it!

## Keep the hut fires burning!

A hut is your fighter's home over there. It is his store, his theatre, his church, his school and his club.

It is the place where he writes your letters.

It is the place where he reads his books and magazines, where he and his friends get around a piano and sing or listen to a phonograph.

It is the place where all the movies are given, and the concerts and the minstrel shows and vaudeville. Often it is the only place within reach that is dry and light and warm and clean.

A hut may be a shed or tent or a fine old chateau or a hotel. Sometimes, at the front, it's just a battered little shack—the only building left standing in town.

On the fighting line, it's just a board laid across two boxes with a sign nailed to a tree.

The sign doesn't matter—it's what the hut gives your fighter.

Back up these seven organizations without thought of race or creed, because your boy knows that he is always welcome everywhere, and he needs them all.



JAMES MONTGOMERY FLAGG

## Why you should give twice as much as you ever gave before!

The need is for a sum 70% greater than any gift ever asked for since the world began. The Government has fixed this sum at \$170,500,000.

By giving to these seven organizations all at once, the cost and effort of six additional campaigns is saved.

Unless Americans do give twice as much as ever before, our soldiers and sailors may not enjoy during 1919 their:

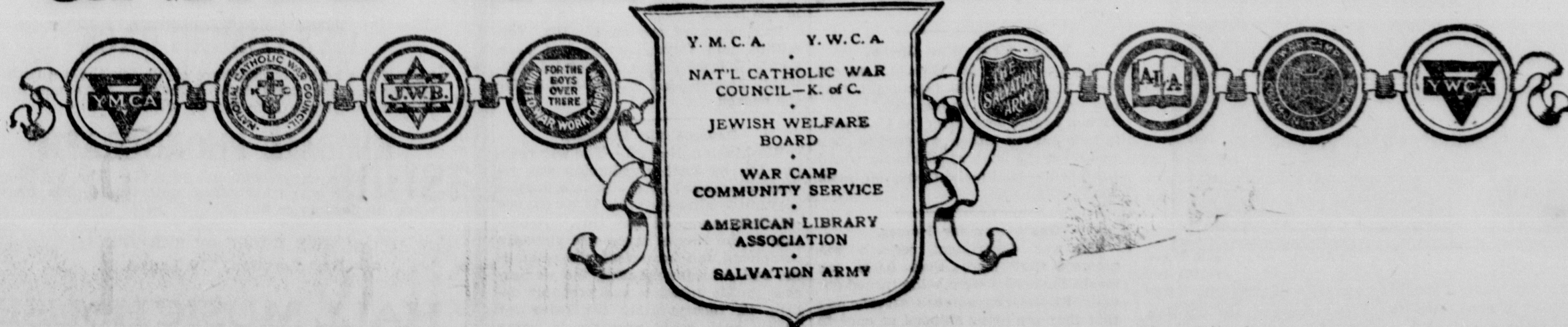
3600 Recreation Buildings  
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When you give double, you make sure that every fighter has the cheer and comforts of these seven organizations every step of the way from home to the front and back again. You provide him with a church, a theatre, a cheerful home, a store, a school, a club and an athletic field—and a knowledge that the folks back home are with him, heart and soul!

You have loaned your money to supply their physical needs.

Now give to maintain the Morale that is winning the war!

## UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN





# TIE INSPECTOR AT THE TIE PLANT

Shown Operations of the Tie Treating Plant of the Northern Pacific Railway

## GRADES ARE DISCUSSED

Representatives of Six Railways are Present. Government Represented by George Ward

F. V. Weisenberger of St. Paul, timber purchasing agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, presided at a conference of the tie inspectors of six railroads at the tie-treating plant of the Northern Pacific in West Brainerd.

George Ward of Duluth, supervising inspector of the government for Minnesota, the north half of Wisconsin and the upper half of the Michigan peninsula, spoke on the three grades for ties established by the government. The railways recognize five grades and the various inspectors gave a report on what they considered defects in ties and what would cause rejections.

Among those in attendance were inspectors from these railways: Northern Pacific—Wm. Williams, and Louis Shupe of Duluth; Oregon and Northern Pacific—Joseph Finnegan of Brainerd, (later also with the Minnesota & International);

Omaha road—E. J. Beaudreau and Mr. McDonald of St. Paul.

Duluth & Iron Range—Louis Nelson of Duluth.

Duluth, Mesaba & Northern—Chas. Harnell of Duluth.

Soo—J. A. Walsh and Messrs Crawford and Gilbert of Minneapolis.

The tie-treating plant by cross-treating gives long life to material like birch which otherwise could not be used.

## ROLL OF HONOR

William Shipp, three days out at sea on his way to France with his regiment, was recalled when the armistice was signed and will soon be home.

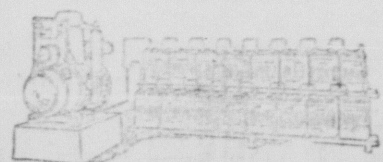
The funeral of Private Edward Cole of Sylvan, who died of Spanish influenza at Camp Cody, New Mexico, will be held from the Whitney chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment at Sylvan. The remains were brought to Brainerd with an escort, Sergeant Walter Munnahan in charge. The sergeant was formerly an undertaker at Virginia, Minn., had seen active service in France where he was wounded and then invalided home, later joining the hospital corps.

W. B. Lear, Brainerd machinist, writing from Camp Meade, Md. where he is stationed in M. L. 342 says: "Well, I suppose it will not be many months now before I will be able to be back in old Brainerd again. At least, I hope so, as I am anxious to see my old friends again and get back on my job too, now that it's about all over 'over there.' I must confess that I was a bit disappointed that I was not permitted to go overseas, however, I am not the only one who lost out in that respect. We can all feel proud though that we were ready to serve and die if need be that right and justice might be vindicated."

John Koskinen is home from the Naval Training Station.

Mrs. J. M. Mulvain of Walla Walla, Wash., was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. N. F. Johnson of 619 South Seventh street. She had visited her son at the U. S. hospital at Fort Des Moines, Iowa. He had been wounded eleven times in France. Twice on volunteer work uprooting machine gun nests he had been fired on, once through the lungs. On one occasion the detail of 22 Americans had accepted the surrender of a German nest when a concealed gun opened on them with a machine gun and killed eleven. Mulvain and his companions killed the gun.

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## LINDEMANN VICTORY SALE

To be Inaugurated by Frank Stefan for Big Clothing House on Friday, Nov. 29th

H. W. Lindemann will soon inaugurate a big "Victory Sale" commencing Friday, November 29, at 9 a. m., and continuing for eight days under the direction of Frank Stefan, of Minneapolis, one of the most widely known merchandising experts in the northwest and who has previously conducted sales for Mr. Lindemann.

Shoes and clothing are to be offered at great money-saving values and the sale as usual will draw much trade to Brainerd. The Lindemann merchandise is of the dependable kind.

## TELEPHONE COMPANIES FILE RATE SCHEDULES

Hearing Before Railroad and Warehouse Commission is Set for Tuesday, Nov. 26

## BRAINERD RAISE PROBABLE

Officials say Revision is Essential if Employees' Demands for Higher Wages are Met

Schedules of proposed rate increases for telephone service in Minneapolis, St. Paul and other cities in Minnesota have been filed with the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission by the telephone companies. Hearings on the requests will be held on Tuesday, November 26. In order to increase wages and meet other expenses, the increases must be allowed, say the telephone officials. Minneapolis and St. Paul subscribers of both Northwestern and Tri-State or either systems will pay increases of \$1 a month for individual and \$1.50 for party lines, business service, and 50 cents a month on all residence service. In the event the state commission authorizes the advances proposed.

Rates on service on 120 exchanges in smaller cities of the state will be increased in most instances from 35 to 75 cents a month, under 15 different rate schedules. Also, a surcharge of 25 per cent will be made on all long distance business.

Rate increases in smaller cities range from 25 to 75 cents a month, where proposed. Proposed new schedules for Albert Lea, Austin, Faribault, Owatonna and Stillwater, all operated now by the Tri-State company for example, follows: Business telephone rates increased to \$1 a month, net, from \$2 to \$2.50, and residence service to \$2 from \$1 and \$1.25 for individual lines, and to \$1.50 from 75 cents and \$1 a month for party lines.

In other towns where rates are \$1.50 or \$2 advances of 50 cents a month are proposed.

The Northwestern company proposes, in places where advances are planned, to raise both business and residence rate 25 or 50 cents a month, and in a few places to add 75 cents a month to business rates.

The 25 or 50 cents advances, however, will cover 80 per cent of the changes to be affected in its local rates outside of Minneapolis and Duluth, it was officially stated. Such increases will apply at Brainerd, St. Cloud and Fergus Falls among other towns in the northern part of the state which the Northwestern company took over under the telephone unification movement.

## A BEAUTIFUL CHAPEL

B. C. McNamara has Modern Undertaking Parlors at 706 Laurel Street in City

Discontinuing the sale of furniture, B. C. McNamara of 706 Laurel street, has devoted his entire attention to the undertaking business and has remodeled his store at 706 Laurel and made of it a splendid reception room, chapel and mortuary.

He gives his personal attention to calls, day or night and can be reached by telephone at chapel or home.

The chapel has seating capacity for a large number of people. The sides are of fine woodwork and ingeniously arranged that when opened they reveal his stock of caskets, etc.

## Don't Invite a Cold or the Grip

If you feel "stuffed up," bloated, bilious, languid or have sick headache, sour stomach, coated tongue, bad breath, or other condition caused by slowed up digestion, a Foley's Cathartic Tablet will give prompt relief. It is gentle, wholesome, thoroughly cleansing physic that leaves no bad after effects. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

## MRS. ALICE G. WHITE CALLED TO REWARD

Active and Devoted Member of the First Congregational Church of this City

WAS SECRETARY OF W. C. T. U.

A Woman of High Culture and Rare Sweetness of Character, She Made Many Friends

Mrs. Alice D. White passed away at 7:30 this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Johnston, 507 N. 4th St. She had been in failing health for the past eight or nine months and the end was not unexpected. She was born in Leicester, Vermont, April 21, 1856. She was married to Mr. E. H. White in 1882 and came with him to Brainerd, where Mr. White had lived for several years. She was recalled to Vermont within a year to care for her father and mother who were in failing health and tenderly ministered to them for nearly two years.

Mrs. White has been an active and devoted member of the First Congregational church through all the years of her residence in Brainerd, being especially active in the Bible school and the Woman's Missionary society. Of this latter organization she was the life for many years, feeling that only as a church obeyed the last command of its Crucified and Risen Lord was that church alive. She has been active for many years in the W. C. T. U., serving as its secretary. She has been one who has spent beside many waters, having spent much time visiting and aiding the poor and distressed, at one time caring for a family of motherless children. She was a woman of high culture and rare sweetness of character and disposition. In her last illness she has shown wonderful fortitude, enduring great suffering with scarcely a sigh. She was leaning upon Him who is invisible, and surely He strengthened her. In the onslaughts of "modern theology" and "higher criticism" which are sweeping the world today, her faith has never wavered in the Bible as the reverent and inspired Word of God, from cover to cover. At the end she was not resting for salvation upon anything that she had done; (though she has done much) but upon the finished work of the Lord Jesus Christ on Calvary's Cross.

She has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Johnston, since the death of Mr. White, (Mrs. Johnston's father) about sixteen years ago, and a beautiful relationship has existed, Mrs. White being the honored member of the family.

She leaves to mourn her loss Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Johnston, Alice, Elizabeth and William Johnston, a brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Sparks and a nephew, Ned Sparks of Leicester, Vermont and two nieces, Mrs. John Cauton, Middlebury, Vermont and Mrs. Percy Smith, Soledad, California. She will be greatly missed in the church and community.

The funeral will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, as that is the only time her former pastor, Rev. G. P. Sheridan, could be here to take charge of the services.

The active pallbearers named are R. W. Seelye, George D. LaBar, C. Bruhn, Henry I. Cohen, E. P. Shipp and George W. Grewcock.

The honorary pallbearers are Arthur Whiteley, J. A. Wilson, Dr. A. F. Groves, W. H. Gommell, Dr. R. A. Belser and E. A. Farrar.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in our sad bereavement of a loving son and brother, Reino. We also thank you all for the beautiful floral offerings. "God Bless you all."

MR. and Mrs. NELS RITARI  
SISTER VIOLET RITARI

## Cut This Out—It is Worth Money

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup. Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn.

Historians Differ as to Sugar. Historians say that the sugar cane was introduced by Columbus in Santo Domingo, that it spread from that island to Cuba and Mexico and that the Portuguese introduced the cane into Brazil, bringing it from Madeira. Some authorities have said that sugar cane was introduced into Louisiana in 1751 by Jesuit priests, who had it brought from Santo Domingo, while others give the date of the first planting of sugar cane as 1737 and make no reference to its having been brought in by the Jesuits.

## ADVISORY BOARD CHAMBER COMMERCE

An important meeting of the Advisory Board of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday evening, November 26th and every member is expected to be present. Written notices were sent out by the secretary to each member to-day and there can be no excuse for non-attendance.

The matter of finances of the Chamber is to be discussed, a scrutiny of the list of delinquents and business propositions demanding attention are to come up. Every member is urged to be present.

## VAN HISE BELIEVED IN CUYUNA RANGE

Late President of the University of Wisconsin Deeply Versed in Geology in Iron Area

## HIS PREDICTIONS FULFILLED

Many University of Wisconsin Men Among the Mining Engineers and Mine Owners on Ranges

In the death of President Charles E. Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin, the Cuyuna range loses a firm friend.

President Van Hise was the personal friend of Carl Zapffe, noted geologist of this city and an alumnus of the university. He was acquainted also with many of the range mining men and those of Duluth. He personally viewed much of the development work of the Vermillion and Mesaba iron ranges.

He had explored and examined in detail a vast acreage from Grand Rapids to the Canadian border on missions for mining companies and interested capitalists.

With Professor Chauvenet of St. Louis he was a firm believer in both the Cuyuna and Guntit iron regions and lived to see his predictions regarding the rich deposits of the Cuyuna territory amply fulfilled.

With the outbreak of the war, President Van Hise was appointed by the government to prepare a course for study use in all colleges on the conservation of foods. It was published in two volumes by the United States government.

He was the head of the war work at the University of Wisconsin and under his supervision a number of papers by members of the faculty dealing with the war, were prepared and given general circulation.

Last fall he made a trip west to appear before alumni organizations and commercial clubs to talk on phases of the war.

During the past summer he was

## Childrens Hats 50c

\$1.50 and \$1.75 qualities

Velvet and Corduroy hats, small shapes. Large shapes with streamers for the girls. It is an opportunity, a most unusual one. Bring in the little lady and select a bargain.

## Women's Better Hats

Values up to \$12.50 at \$4.75

We have selected about twenty of our better hats which ranges in price from \$8.50 to \$12.50 and will offer them at \$4.75. If you have been waiting for bargains in a better hat see these.

**H. F. Michael Co.**

appointed as a member of the newspaper mission by the English government to visit the war zone and gather data which was to be of use in solving reconstruction problems. He returned three weeks ago.

He had just completed the manuscript of a new book dealing with conservation problems, the proof of which is now being read, preparatory to the publication of the volume.

## How a Salesman Suffered

R. J. Porter, Sterling, Col., writes: "I suffered with a painful, weak back. As a traveling salesman I had to stoop frequently to pick up my grips, and the pain when I straightened up was awful. I was induced to try Foley Kidney Pills. Relief was immediate. Say, they are great!" Prompt and tonic. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

## The Clove in Medicine.

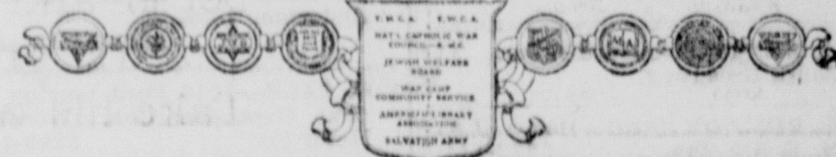
Though the clove has had for centuries and still has an honorable standing in the culinary art as a condiment, it has long held a place in the distillation of liquor and in medicine. Nearly everybody knows something about oil of cloves and most persons at one time or another have used it as a remedy or a palliative for toothache, it being a valuable local anesthetic which has found use in professional dentistry as a means of lowering the sensitiveness of the dentine of a tooth undergoing repairs.

## That Terrible Backache

Mrs. G. Hyde, Homestead, Mich., writes: "I had that terrible backache and tired out feeling, scarcely able to do my work, but find by using Foley Kidney Pills that I soon feel like a new person." Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys throw out poisons that cause backache, rheumatic pains and aching joints. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

**THE Germans bomb the huts in France.** They think they are more dangerous than guns because they make morale. For every hut destroyed, Pershing wants two more built. What do you say?

## UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN



U. S. Thrift Stamps for 25 cents each—with your first Thrift Stamp you will get a Thrift Card with spaces for 16 stamps. When you have filled it you can exchange it, with the few added pennies, for a \$5.00 War Savings Stamp.

## B. C. McNamara Undertaking Parlors

All calls given my personal attention, Day or night. Night calls 87 R.—Day calls 87 J.

706 Laurel St., Brainerd, Minn.

# COMING! H. W. LINNEMANN'S GREAT VICTORY SALE

Starting Friday November 29, 9 a. m. Sharp  
Lasting For 8 Days Only.

Watch for the Large Bills



# Dispatch Want Ads

PRICE—One cent a word. If paid in advance one-half cent a word for subsequent insertions.

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Night girls at Garvey's Restaurant. 3277-1451f1w1

WANTED—Drill helpers. Steady work. Apply Crosby Exploration Co., Crosby, Minn. 2964-841f

WANTED—Laborers at Parker & Topping Foundry, 40c per hour. Apply to foreman. 3050-941f

WANTED—A first class machinist, one capable of keeping up the general repairs around the foundry. Apply to Mr. Webb, Parker & Topping Co. 3243-1341f

WANTED—Woman to take charge of four room house. Two children 6 and 8 years, going to school, husband travels. Good wages. Easier place can't be found. Write Mrs. L. W. Carson, Little Falls, Minn. 3283-14613

WANTED—A few bales of good clover hay at Public Market. 3289-14712p

WANTED Girl for general housework. Mrs. Fred Cook, 510 South Fifth Street. 3296-14813

WANTED—1,000 red brick, new or old. Phone 532-J. 3295-14813

WANTED—Second cook and kitchen girl. Ideal hotel. 3297-1491f

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 722 South Broadway. 3254-1391f

FOR RENT OR SALE—House at 812 N. E. 4th Ave. 3272-14415

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms with board. 303 N. 5th St. 3149-1151f

FOR RENT—House at 708 S. 9th St. Apply to 922 S. 7th St. 3254-1391f

FOR RENT—Furnished room with use of bath. 502 S. 5th St. 3280-14513p

FOR RENT—House 224 N. 9th St., corner of Kingwood. Inquire F. A. Farrar. 3251-1391f

FOR RENT—Good six room house at 1017 Grove St. Inquire 1024 Fir St. Phone 229-R. 3275-1451f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at 307 So. 7th St. 3259-1371f

FOR RENT—Cement house, with or without garage. 620 N. 6th St. Wm. Graham. 3279-1451f

FOR RENT—House 318 Quince St. S. Inquire 510 S. 10th St., or call 242-R. 3292-14715

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—20 ewes. C. W. Koer- ing. 3276-14515

FOR SALE—NCR Credit File, cheap. Lammon's. 3264-14315

FOR SALE—Baby buggy and cutter. 502 S. 5th St. 3281-14513p

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 601 2nd Ave. N. E. 3300-1491f

FOR RENT—Five room house, at 1395 Pine St. S. E. Inquire at 1107 Pine St. S. E. 3302-14916

## FOR SALE—Continued

FOR SALE—Range and baby carriage. Phone 622-J. 3278-14513p

FOR SALE—Three fresh milk cows. Terms on good bankable paper. William Love, Flak, Minn. 3284-14612-4812wp

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 12 h. p. Fuller & Johnson gasoline engine, with movable trucks. Woodhead Motor Co. 2742-451f

FOR SALE—Team of horses weighing about 1000 lbs. each. Splendid drivers, in good condition. Model Laundry. 3171 1191f

FOR SALE—Maxwell runabout, model AA Brisco 2 cylinder in running order; Eatoy organ; child's crib. Inquire 914 Bluff Ave. N. Phone 752-R. 3282-14512

FOR SALE—Round Oak stove, coal or wood. 1020 3rd Ave. N. E. Phone 320-L. 3293-14712p

FOR SALE—1918 Ford Coupelet, first class condition, brand new tires. Woodhead Motor Co. 3291-1471f

FOR SALE—Early Ohio potatoes, delivered during next week only, in 20 bushels lots at 65 cents, in 50 bushels lots 60 cents. Sample can be seen at store. Shipp-Gruenag-en Co. 3287-1471f

FARM FOR SALE—78 acres Long Lake town, Section 16, Township 44, Range 30. Inquire Albert O. Anderson, Dispatch. 3271-14413-4812w

FOR SALE—1916 Ford touring car, first class condition. Woodhead Motor Co. 3290-1471f

FOR SALE—Sewing machine and electric iron. 222 2nd Ave. N. E. 3299-14913

## MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Position as housekeeper. Inquire 207 S. 7th St. 3253-1411f

WANTED to hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full description. D. F. Bueh, Minneapolis, Minn.

LOST—Between Crosby and Deerwood, a 32x3 1/2 tire and rim attached. Notify 712 4th Ave. N. E. for reward. 3286-14712p

LOST—Between 4th and 5th Ave. N. E. Brainerd, man's gray fur coat. Notify M. Arnold. 3301-1491f

LOST—A weed chain 36x4 1/4 on road east of south. Finder please return to our garage and get reward. Around Co. 3294-14313

FOUND—Man's fur coat. Phone 13. 3298-14913

In Lapland. In all parts of Lapland there is a numerous class of poorer Lapps whose herds of deer are too small to enable them to live on the mountains or to trust to them entirely for subsistence. These are called Wood Lapps and they live in the woods and forests that abound in the country. There are also the Fishing or Coast Lapps. These have a fixed abode, and if they wander it is only for a short distance.

## POINTS GOOD REASONS

Governor of Minnesota Designates Thanksgiving Day.

Proclamation Says Successful End of War Gives Special Cause for Showing Gratitude.

St. Paul, Nov. 25.—Governor Burnquist has issued the annual Thanksgiving proclamation. It follows:

"The successful termination of the war into which our nation entered to do her share in the progress of free government, gives us this year a special reason for manifesting our gratitude to the God of nations for the great victory the democracies of the world have won.

"May we also, on this day, express our appreciation of the bountiful harvest and the many blessings of the last year, and especially of the preservation of the liberties and opportunities which we, as Americans, enjoy under that form of government which is based upon the foundation of justice and brotherhood.

"Thanksgiving is also a fitting day upon which all of us should look upon the future, thinking from the source of wisdom and righteousness, that a spirit of good will and foresight will enable us, as a people, to live in harmony and co-operate for the true progress of all.

"Now, therefore, I, J. A. A. Burnquist, governor of Minnesota, do hereby urge that Thursday, November 28, 1918, be observed throughout our commonwealth as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Him who has generously supplied to us our needs and brought us of the international struggle a righteous victory.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the state to be hereunto affixed, this twenty-third day of November, A. D. 1918."

J. A. A. BURNQUIST, Governor.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL, Secretary of State.

## CUNARD LINE LOST 15 SHIPS

Tonnage Sunk During the World War Totaled 206,769.

New York, Nov. 25.—Fifteen steamships aggregating 206,769 gross tons were lost by the Cunard line during the period of the war, it was learned here.

Of these, all except two were called war losses, having been sunk by torpedoes or mines.

The Campania and the Ascania were lost through accidents.

The tonnage sunk represents approximately one-half of that possessed by the line at the outbreak of the war in 1914.

## DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Grain. Minneapolis, Nov. 25.—Oats, December, 70¢; January, 71¢. Rye, December, \$1.71½; January, \$1.73½. Barley, choice, 96¢; \$1.00. Corn, No. 3 white, \$1.35¢; No. 3 yellow, \$1.43¢; No. 3 red, \$1.45¢.

Duluth Flax. Duluth, Nov. 25.—Flaxseed, November, \$3.93; December, \$3.81½; May, \$3.79.

Chicago Grain. Chicago, Nov. 25.—Corn, November, \$1.30½; December, \$1.29½; January, \$1.32½. Oats, November, 75¢; December, 74¢; January, 74¢.

South St. Paul Live Stock. South St. Paul, Nov. 25.—Estimated receipts at Union Stock Yards: Cattle, 3,000; calves, 500; hogs, 10,500; sheep, 500; cars, 239; hogs, 17,000; 17,000; sheep and lambs, 6,750 at 14.75.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Nov. 25.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Close: Hogs, receipts, 10,000; butchers, \$17.65@18; light, \$16.50@17.70; packing, \$16.60@17.50; throw-outs, \$15.25@18.50; pigs, good to choice, \$13@14.75.

Cattle, receipts, 7,000; beef cattle, good, choice and prime, \$15.50@19.75; common and medium, \$9.75@15.50. Butcher stock, cows and heifers, \$6.50@14.25; canners and cutters, \$5.70@6.50; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, \$10.25@13; inferior, common and medium, \$7.25@10.25; veal calves, good and choice, \$16.75@17.25; western range beef steers, \$14.65@18; cows and heifers, \$5.25@12.75.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Minneapolis, Nov. 25.—BUTTER—Extras, 61c; extra firsts, 58c; firsts, 57c; seconds, 56c; dairies, 48c; packing stock, 39c.

EGGS—Fresh, prime firsts, new cases, free from rots, small, dirties and checks out, per doz, 65c; current receipts, rote out, \$18.00; checks and seconds, doz, 40c; dirties, candied, doz, 45c; quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs and over, 26c; thin, small, cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters, 17c; ducks, 18c; geese, lb, 16c; hens, 4 lbs and over, 20c; hens, under 4 lbs, 17c; springs, all weights, 20c; guineas, young, doz, \$5.00; guineas, old, doz, \$5.00.

Encounter Strong Opposition. Archangel, Nov. 25.—The American and Allied troops have encountered strong opposition both on the Volga and Archangel railway and on the Dvina river. A plan is under discussion in military circles for the creation of a voluntary army for Russian relief, should the Allies agree upon the policy of feeding Russia. Daylight in Archangel now is of only four hours' duration, and this fact, with the fogs, facilitates the guerilla warfare of the Bolsheviki, operating in the shelter of the forests.

## TALK OF LETTING MONEY BILL WAIT

EIGHT BILLION REVENUE MEASURE MAY GO OVER TO THE NEXT CONGRESS.

## MIGHT PLEASE BOTH PARTIES

Republicans Undecided as to Method They Will Adopt for Selecting Committees—Kahn to Be Chairman of Military Affairs.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—The suggestion has been made that the big \$8,000,000,000 revenue bill should go over until the new congress meets in order that the representatives elected in November, 1918, should pass upon revenue questions, rather than the congress elected two years ago. Taking into consideration the progress of the revenue bill since it was first determined to keep congress in session to pass the measure, it would not be at all strange to see the bill go over until after the 4th of March. Nor would it be difficult for the Republicans in the present senate to allow the debate to run along until it was impossible to pass the bill before the close of the present congress. There is a suggestion that the Democrats would be perfectly willing to have the Republicans take the responsibility of this enormous revenue bill.

But as to that, the Republicans have to a large extent already taken the responsibility, as they all voted for the measure in the house although they tried to amend it in a number of particulars.

The Republicans are giving careful consideration to the question of whether they shall go back to the old method of selecting committees, or continue the Democratic method of having them elected by the house. The committees now are only nominally elected by the house, they are really selected by the Democratic members of the ways and means committee, and finally the matter resolves itself down largely to a selection by the chairman of that committee. As to the chairmanships, they go wholly by seniority. If a man stays in congress long enough he finally gets to the head of a committee and is made chairman, no matter whether he is fitted for it or not. Seniority has always been recognized by speakers in making selections, except where there is actual unfitness. On many occasions Speaker Cannon changed chairmanships, and other speakers have done the same. Restoring the selection of committees to the speaker will give back to him some of the power that was taken away by the action of the Democrats eight years ago. It is probable, however, that the speaker will never have the dominating power in the committee on rules that he exerted in the days of Cannon, and the present system with a large rules committee will probably be retained.

One of the men who will come into his own as a result of the Republican control of the house is Julius Kahn of California. He is the ranking Republican member of the committee on military affairs and will surely be chosen chairman of that committee. Kahn is one man who will be able to work in harmony with the Democratic administration, for most of the important legislation relating to military affairs has been entrusted to his leadership because the chairman of the committee opposed the administration plans. Kahn has been noted for his strong patriotism during the war and has been a tower of strength to the government.

Secretary McAdoo's announcement that there would be at least one more liberty loan, no matter if peace were declared at once, came as a surprise to people who had not considered the situation. It is easy to see the necessity, however, if one stops to think things over. There is our army of over 2,000,000 men in Europe, whose transportation back to this country cannot be completed for many months. Meantime it will be up to this country to take as much care of the soldiers as when they had the Hun on the run. Then there will be many reconstruction problems which will require financing, so there must be at least one more loan.

Senator Williams of Mississippi has one of the best seats in the senate chamber—in the first row and almost directly in front of the vice president. But he doesn't seem to care for it very much. Most senators sit at their own desks when they sit at any, but the Mississippi senator. He will start a speech from wherever he happens to be when the fancy strikes him, whether it is somebody else's seat, over on the Republican side, or out in an aisle. Williams' regular seat is number 13 and that may have something to do with his apparent aversion to remaining in it for any length of time.

Something nice will be done for Uncle Joe Cannon by the Republicans. He will not be made chairman of the committee on appropriations, but he will be given some other chairmanship and will retain his place on that committee. Even if he is nearing his eighty-second birthday he is still a valuable legislator.

## QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION

Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime. Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

## MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers—Meat forms uric acid.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like pains of lead, and you have cloudy urine, or the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.

The male ostrich builds the nest,

and the female ostrich builds the nest,

and the female ostrich builds the nest,

and the female ostrich builds the nest,



**BAD BREATH**

DO YOU WANT your friends to avoid you? They will certainly do so when your breath is bad. There is no excuse for anyone having a bad breath. It is caused by disorders of the stomach which can be corrected by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. Many have been permanently cured of stomach troubles by the use of these tablets after years of suffering. Price 25 cents per bottle.

**Chamberlain's Tablets**

## IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

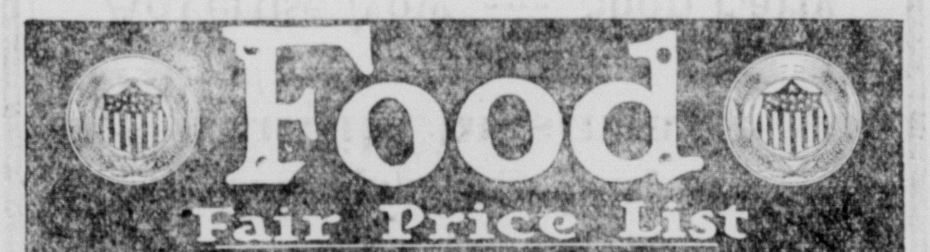
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**23**

Shopping Days until Christmas

Advertise Now ---- Shop Early

## Dispatch Want Ads Pay



This Food Fair Price List has been prepared by the Brainerd Price Listing Committee of the U. S. Food Administration. ANDREW E. BERGLUND, Co. Food Adm., Chairman N. BRADY, Sec'y.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1918.

Commodity	Wholesale	Retail
Wheat Flour, bulk, per lb.	.05½	.07
Barley flour, per 10 lb. bag.	.50	.58
Barley flour, blk, per lb.	.05	.06½
Flour in 98 lb. Cot.	5.40	6.00
Flour, in 49 lb. Cot.	2.75	3.10
Flour, in 49 lb. pa.	2.69	3.00
Flour, in 24½ lb. Cot.	1.41	1.60
Flour, in 24½ lb. pa.	1.36	1.55
Flour, in 12½ lb. pa.	.70	.78
Buckwheat Flour, per lb.	.08½	.10
Oat Flour, per lb.	.06½	.08
Rye flour, 10 lb. bag.	.54	.66
Rye flour, bulk, per lb.	.05	.06½
Corn flour, bulk, per lb.	.05½	.06½
Rice flour, bulk, per lb.	.09½	.12½
Corn meal, bulk, per lb.	.05	.06
Cornmeal, package, 10 lb. pkg.	.52	.60
Victory Bread, price per loaf, 24 oz.	.12	.15
Victory bread, price per loaf, 16 oz.	.08	.10
Oatmeal or rolled oats, bulk, lb.	.06 1-3	.08
Oatmeal or rolled oats, pkg, 3 lb 7 oz.	.25½	.30
Rice, unbroken, standard quality, lb.	.11½	.14
Hominy or hominy grits, per lb.	.07 1-3	.09
Sugar, granulated, bulk	.0997	.11
Beans white, navy or pea, no lima, lb.	.08	.11
Beans, colored, pinto or any other	.12	.15
Potatoes, white or Irish, per lb.	.01½	.01½
Onions, per lb.	.02	.03
Raisins, seeded, per 16 oz. pkg.	.13	.15
Prunes, medium, size 70-80, lb.	.12 to .14	.14 to .18
Canned tomatoes, standard grade, per 20 oz. no. 2 can	.15	.18
Canned corn, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.15½	.18
Canned peas, standard grade, per 20 oz. No. 2 can	.11 to .16	.12½ to .20
Canned salmon, tall, pink, Alaska, per 16 oz. No. 1 can	.22	.28
Canned salmon tall red Alaska per 16 oz. (No. 1) can.	.27	.32
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 6 oz. can	.05½	.07
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 16 oz. can	.10 to .12½	.12½ to .15
Milk, bottled, per qt.	.10	.12
Butter, creamery, print, per lb.	.59	.64
Oleomargarine, per lb. prints	.54	.58
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	.55	.60
Cheese, American, full cream, cut, per lb.	.37	.41
Lard, pure, bulk, per lb, 5 lb. or more	.28½	.32
Lard, pure, in pkg. per lb.	.30½	.35
Lard substitute, tub, per lb 5 lb or more	.24½	.29
Lard substitute in tin, per lb.	.24½	.30
Bacon, breakfast, sliced, standard grade, per lb.	.29 to .48	.35 to .62
Pork chops, per lb.	.33½	.35 to .40
Pork loin	.26 to .28	.30
Ham, smoked, sliced, per lb.	.33½	.45 to .50
Round steak, per lb.	.34	.25 to .30
Hens, year or more old, dressed, lb.	.15 to .18	.22 to .24
Home Fish, fresh, lb.	.13 to .16	.16 to .19

**MOTHERS and sisters of America,**

There are a thousand girls over there who are representing you. They are the girls of the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A. and the lassies of the Salvation Army. Boys come back to them at night hungry for a woman's voice in a language they can understand. They bring your letters; and the pictures of you—their sisters and their mothers over here. Have you ever stopped to think that this is the first war in which the influence of good women followed the boys straight up to the front? It's worth a lot to you to keep that influence strong and permanent. Keep it so through the

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